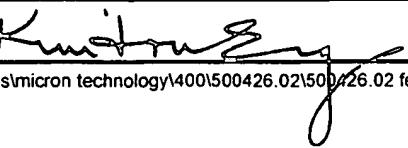


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Filed : September 25, 2001 Examiner : Not Yet Assigned
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Sir:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 1.

Please add new claims 56-98 as follows:

--56. (New) A memory device having a normal mode and a test mode, the memory device comprising:

first and second memory arrays, each memory array having memory cells arranged in rows and columns, each column of memory cells having a pair of complementary digit lines;